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are small and inconvenient, with inadequate equipment and are frightfully overcrowded. It is for these men
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Following a number of meetings
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to the front again, that we are asking this aid. We don't need to really worry about America yet, but all these, our allies, are bearing a tremendous burden. To be sick and wounded unto death is hard indeed, but to be weak and hungry with no means of obtaining food is surely a lamentable fate to overtake these brave and uncomplaining heroes.

It was only by our war relief work that our allies felt our moral support for a long time. They have had the vast burden and hardship of the war for three years. They are now our allies. Their boys are our boys. We are one i nthis great cause. That is the spirit of every nation on the other side. England today gives and satisfies the reeds of every one of her allies before released to opening sessions in the new bins of opening sessions in the new bins our control of the said of this 20 years' experience in teaching has been gained in the west. For 18 years he was on the tenching staff of an agained in the west. For 18 years he was on the tenching staff of an agained in the west. For 18 years he was on the tenching staff of an agained in the west. For 18 years he was on the tenching staff of an agained in the west. For 18 years he was on the tenching staff of an agained in the west. For 18 years he was on the tenching staff of an agained in the west. For 18 years he was on the tenching staff of an agained in the west. For 18 years he was on the tenching staff of an agained in the west. For 18 years he was on the tenching staff of an agained in the west. For 18 years he was on the tenching staff of an agained in the west. For 18 years he was on the tenching staff of an agained in the west. For 18 years he was on the tenching staff of an agained in the west. For 18 years he was on the tenching staff of an agained in the west. For 18 years he was on the tenching staff of an agained in the west. For 18 years he was on the tenching staff of an agained in the w

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the Food for France Fund was of the Red Cross. The supplies purchased with the money raised are to go to the military hospitals in France and to go in the most direct way.

A canvass of the city is planned to take place soon for money to be given by a controlly ways toward the nurchasing n various ways toward the purchasing f this food. If one will plan to give he value of a pound of sugar or a uart of milk or any necessity for a ertain length of time it will not seem o hard and it seems as if we might are enough to give of our plenty to hese our allies, our comrades, our oys. It is the value of these articles vill be asked for, not the article hemselves, as that would be imprac

Miss Spencer and the committee serving under her are giving of their time and strength freely and without stint in this spiendid work in the hape that their efforts may bring a measure of relief and comfort to France in her

To Supply Belgians and Some of the

Neutrals With Food.

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the spirit of every nation on the other side. England today gives and satisfies the reeds of every one of her allies before she considers herself. That is the spirit of the individual man in the spirit of the individual man in the work.

While a student at the Free Academy Mr. Robinson did much extra tutoring in Norwich and was always known as an ambitious and persever-

AT THE DAVIS THEATRE. Feature Moving Pictures.

Snow White, one of the Grimm Brothers' far famed fairy tales, with Marguerite Clark as the star, is the big picture feature, at the Davis thea-tre for the last three days of the week. The story is a delightful one and its adaptation as a screen feature makes it daptation as a screen feature makes it doubly interesting. It is a six-act Paramount version of the fairy tale and met with decided favor with the audiences on Thursday afternoon and evening. The Mother Instinct, a five-part Triangle feature, with Enid Bennett in the leading role, is the second big attraction at the theatre for the last half of the week, and then there is a Triangle comedy entitled The House of Scandal

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Recommends Fire Department Changes TODAY

Committee of National Board of Fire Underwriters Says Motor Apparatus Should Be Provided For Hose Company, No. 2, and That Company Should Be Located in New Quarters Near West Main and Asylum—Advocate Increase in Number of Men at Headquarters.

Sweeping changes in the local fire mended in 1911. Sweeping changes in the local fire department with regard to stations, apparatus and equipment are recommended by the committee on fire prevention of the National Board of Fire Underwriters. The recommendations are made in a report by the committee to the National Board of Fire Underwriters following an investigation conducted here last June, the report having just been made public by the committee.

sideration has not been given to fire protection. The number of hydrants has been increased by 48, and 74 old style hydrants have been replaced. It is estimated that about 80 per cent. of the hydrants have 4-inch barrels and branches and only about 1-3 have gate valves on branch. All hydrants now have standard size 2 1-2-inch nipples. The hydrants installed were on extensions: the area served per hydrant in the principal mercantile district is 52,000 square feet and in a representative residential district is 155,000 square feet. Gate valves are not systematically inspected and the inspection of hydrants is not of sufficient provided and the fire department, and the fire department, and the fire marshal makes daily inspections. Full compliance has not been made the mercantile district. Complete card records are kept of inspections.

Full compliance has not been made the recommendations of 1911, and it is especially urged that a complete code of regulations governing the storage of explosives and inflammables be adopted in order that all bazards may be effectively controlled.

Conflagration Hzzard.

A 2- and 4-story fireprosef garage, office and mercantile building of 20, 500 square feet has replaced two office in half the sport that kite fishing offer half the sport that kite fishing offers, and on the sport that the sport that kite fishing offers, and offer half the sport that kite fishing offers, and the story fire or half the sport that kite fishing offers, the sport that the sport that kite fishing offers, and the sport that the sport that kite fishing offers, the sport that the sport that kite fishing offers, the sport that the sport that the sport that the sport that kite fishing offers, the sport that kite fishing does. The kite used is about five feet high members of the fire department, and the fire marshal makes daily inspections. Full the sport that the sport that the sport that the sp

With reference to the fire department the report says:

The full paid force has been increased by 4 men and the call force reduced by 9 men; the average response of volunteers responding is about 20.

The cost of maintenance of the fire department, exclusive of the amount spent for new apparatus, for the fiscal year 1916-17 was \$34,450, or \$1.15 per capita, hased on an estimated population of 30,000. Since the 1911 report, \$17,969 has been spent for new apparatus and hose; this included one wagon, one automobile combination hose wagon, a roadster for the deputy ty chief, 5,000 feet of 2 1-2 inch hose and 400 feet of 3-inch hose. Since this inspection, a new automobile has been purchased for the chief.

While the water supply has been improved, the distribution system has not and adequate quantities at direct hydrant pressure are not available for large fires in any part of the principal mercantile district. The fire department is still weak in men and without efficient engine capacity to offset the deficiency in the water supply. the fire alarm system is unreliable and overhead wire obstructions in a street, occasional high winds and weak structural conditions, result in a high conflagration hazard in the greater part of the business district.

The Committee's Recommendations
The recommendations made by the investigators are as follows
Water Supply: That a 12-inch main

nspection, a new automobile has been purchased for the chief.

Three companies each have a per-Three companies each have a permanent captain: Engine Company 1 and Ladder Company 1 have no permanent officers, but one man in each company acts as lieutenant. The steam fire engine formerly with Engine Company 1 has been placed in reserve at headquarters. The handdrawn reel with Engine Company 2 has been replaced with the horse-firawn combination hose wagon formerly with Hose Company 1, which now has an automobile combination washas an automobile combination wag-

* No Reserve Horses. No change has been made in the equipment of Hose Companies 2 and 3. Horses are old and not suitable for service; none are kept in reserve; dependence is still placed upon horses outside the department for Engine and Ladder Company 2. The discipline and personnel of the department continues good. The fire department records show that during 1916, 60 per cent. of the actual fires were extinguished by chemicals.

The amount of good hose is now about 9,500 feet, an average of about

about 9,500 feet, an average of about 1,900 feet to each hose wagon in ser-

Quarters Too Small. The quarters of Hose Company 1 are too small, in only fair condition, poorly located for quick response and provides poor accommodations for the men; this company should be moved to headquarters. A new comparty, preferably located in the unoccupied station on Thames street near Geer avenue, and equipped with automobile apparatus, is needed for protection to the rapidly growing manufacturing district in this section. Hose Company 2 would be better located if moved as recommended in 1911 and a ladder company is needed in this section. Station of Hose Company 3 is still in poor condition; a new station should be provided as recom-

Fire Fighting Facilities. As indicated by the tests, the improvements in the water supply have not resulted in providing a satisfactory fire flow for serious fires at presume high course to give affective

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MISS SPENCER SPEAKS

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